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MEMORANDUM FOR: Assistant Deputy Director for Support

SUBJECT: [REDACTED]

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1. As you know, [REDACTED] asked for my advice on his case. I am now advised that the Medical Office has cleared [REDACTED] for full-time duty. [REDACTED] tells me that he has been counseled to seek medical retirement, but states that he cannot afford to raise his family on the approximately \$130 a month that will allow him. Consequently, he feels he must seek to remain in the Agency and seek to resolve any security problems that face him.

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2. The doctors, of course, cannot guarantee that the strain of a Review Board might not cause another heart attack. I have discussed this with [REDACTED] and he recognizes this possibility. He has asked, however, that he be allowed another month's grace to regain strength. I indicated that I thought this was a reasonable request and that I would suggest that you call him in July and reconvene the Board then. He stated that should he feel up to a Board before July, he would advise you directly.

3. I have discussed this with the DDCI and we feel that only a Board can finally resolve this case, inasmuch as any other method would probably place an equal amount of strain on the individual.

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Lyman B. Kirkpatrick
Inspector General

c.c. Director of Security

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